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## **BRAGG TO ADJUST ACCESS CONTROL PROCEDURES**

FORT BRAGG, N.C.- Fort Bragg will adjust its procedures for access onto the installation beginning Saturday, July 17.

The change in procedures is due in part to recent announcements by the Department of Homeland Security concerning increased threats in the coming months.

Beginning Saturday all occupants of every vehicle must physically hand their valid photo identification to the security officer at the access control point. Additionally, security officers will increase the number of random vehicle searches conducted at the various access control points. All vehicles entering the installation remain subject to search at any time.

Persons without valid Department of Defense identification cards (such as the DA form 1602, CAC, DD form 2 or 2A) or temporary Vehicle Registration System passes are required to enter through one of five search points at Knox/Bragg Blvd., All American Freeway, Randolph/Bragg Blvd, Longstreet Road, or Yadkin Road.

Soldiers and civilians may experience minor delays at the access control points. To assist in minimizing delays, Fort Bragg officials request that all persons riding in vehicles have valid photo identification out and readily available to hand to the security officer prior to approaching the gate.

Fort Bragg conducts periodic security reviews and adjusts its procedures accordingly to help ensure a safe and secure environment for the people who work, live and visit Fort Bragg.